

# Unit 6 Test

## Listening

- 1 • 1.07 Listen to a radio programme about Edinburgh, the capital city of Scotland. Then complete the summary. Write a word or a number in each gap.

Edinburgh is a popular city. (1) \_\_\_\_\_ million people visited it last year. Many famous people lived here. Sean Connery was born in (2) \_\_\_\_\_, but he moved to (3) \_\_\_\_\_. J.K. Rowling invented some ideas for *Harry Potter* when she was in a (4) \_\_\_\_\_ in Edinburgh. Mary I was queen of Scotland from (5) \_\_\_\_\_ to (6) \_\_\_\_\_. There were (7) \_\_\_\_\_ Scottish queens and more than (8) \_\_\_\_\_ kings. Alexander Graham Bell invented the (9) \_\_\_\_\_. His father was a (10) \_\_\_\_\_ in Edinburgh.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Complete the definitions with seven of the words.

actor   doctor   explorer   mechanic   scientist king   queen   teacher   waitress
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- 1 A \_\_\_\_\_ studies science.
  - 2 An \_\_\_\_\_ works in films.
  - 3 A \_\_\_\_\_ is a man. He rules a country.
  - 4 An \_\_\_\_\_ visits new countries.
  - 5 A \_\_\_\_\_ helps people in hospital.
  - 6 A \_\_\_\_\_ is a woman. She works in a café or restaurant.
  - 7 A \_\_\_\_\_ works with cars.
- 3 Complete the definitions with the correct form of the words.
- 1 A \_\_\_\_\_ builds houses and other buildings. (build)
  - 2 A \_\_\_\_\_ plays an instrument. (music)
  - 3 A \_\_\_\_\_ writes books. (write)
  - 4 An \_\_\_\_\_ paints or draws. (art)
  - 5 An \_\_\_\_\_ makes new things. (invent)



- 4 Complete the sentences. Use the past simple affirmative form of one of the verbs.

- 1 Zoe \_\_\_\_\_ (name / change) her dog Ben.
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ (travel / invade) to Canada.
- 3 She \_\_\_\_\_ (cross / discover) a new café in town.
- 4 They \_\_\_\_\_ (explore / invent) the city.
- 5 He \_\_\_\_\_ (invade / invent) the radio.
- 6 We \_\_\_\_\_ (establish / cross) the river in a boat.
- 7 Mathi \_\_\_\_\_ (change / discover) the colour of his hair.
- 8 I \_\_\_\_\_ (prefer / establish) the museum to the art gallery.

## Language focus

- 5 Write sentences or questions and short answers using the correct form of was or were.

Picasso / from Spain (✓)

*Picasso was from Spain.*

- 1 Shakespeare and the Beatles / from the UK (✓)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 J.K. Rowling / a farmer (✗)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Columbus and Vasco de Gama / chefs (✗)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 France and England / part of Rome (?)  
\_\_\_\_\_, they \_\_\_\_\_. (✓)
- 5 Muhammad Ali / a football player (?)  
\_\_\_\_\_, he \_\_\_\_\_. (✗)

- 6 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *There was* or *There were*.

100 years ago ...

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ a café in my town. (✓)
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ any parks. (✗)
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ two shops. (✓)
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ any cars. (✗)
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ a library. (✗)



**7 Complete the sentences using the past simple form of the verbs.**

live not listen not play invade

- 1 The Romans \_\_\_\_\_ Germany.
- 2 The boys \_\_\_\_\_ football.
- 3 I \_\_\_\_\_ to music last night.
- 4 They \_\_\_\_\_ in a very big house.

not like invent stop not travel

- 5 You \_\_\_\_\_ the big, dirty city!
- 6 The bus \_\_\_\_\_ at the station.
- 7 They \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of new things.
- 8 He \_\_\_\_\_ to France.

**8 Complete the sentences with time expressions.**

- 1 Marilyn Monroe died \_\_\_\_ 1962.
- 2 I lived there two years \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 We played tennis \_\_\_\_\_ weekend.
- 4 He invented it \_\_\_\_ the sixteenth century.

**Reading**

**9 Read the text. Then match headings a–f with paragraphs 1–5. There is one heading that you do not need.**

**BIG NAME, SMALL VILLAGE!**

- 1 Many British places have got unusual names. In England, you can visit Dog Village in the south and World's End in the north! The name of one village in Scotland has only got two letters: Ae!
- 2 But one village in Wales has got a really difficult name: Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogerychwyrndrobwlllantysiliogogogoch! This is longer than all the other place names in Europe.
- 3 This Welsh village is very old – Romans lived there about 2,000 years ago.
- 4 In the 1850s, the name of the village was Llanfair, and it was a very quiet place. People in the village wanted more visitors, so they changed the name. They invented a more interesting new name, with 58 letters!
- 5 Today, 3,000 people live in the village, but thousands more tourists visit every year. It's famous!

- a Early history of the village ☐
- b Why did they change the name? ☐
- c Places with interesting names ☐
- d Popular place names ☐
- e What is the village like today? ☐
- f Why is one Welsh village unusual? ☐

**Communication**

**10 Complete the questions with the past simple of be. Then match the questions 1–5 with the replies a–e.**

- 1 What \_\_\_\_\_ Tokyo like? ☐
  - 2 \_\_\_\_\_ you on your own? ☐
  - 3 What about the shops? \_\_\_\_\_ they good? ☐
  - 4 \_\_\_\_\_ the weather good? ☐
  - 5 How \_\_\_\_\_ the exam? ☐
- a No. I was with my family.
  - b Yes, it was brilliant. It was really sunny!
  - c Yes, they were amazing.
  - d It was terrible! The questions were really difficult.
  - e It was a really cool city.

**Writing**

**11 Complete the sentences with five of the words.**

ago in today century last the time

- 1 We travelled to the USA \_\_\_\_\_ 2008.
- 2 This was a popular place in \_\_\_\_\_ 1900s.
- 3 They invaded in the fifth \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 It's a big city \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 She visited us about three years \_\_\_\_\_.

